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To:

Administrator

National Highway Traffic Safety Administration

400 Seventh St. SW.

Washington, DC 20590

From: Steven K. Northrop

President

Phoenix Motorcars, Inc. 236 W. Ojai Ave.

Ojai, CA 93023

Re:

Application for Manufacturer ID and Certification

Dear Administrator,

Enclosed is our application for our Manufacturer Identification. Included is Title 49 Parts 565 and 566. Part 565 has also been sent to the Society of Automotive Engineers (SAE) as outlined under Title 49. A copy of the approved Part 565 will be forwarded to your office when it is received from the SAE.

Phoenix Motorcars, Inc., is already on the way to becoming a small manufacturer of Zero Emission Vehicles. Our platform(s) represent the best the American street rod industry has to offer combined with the latest advances in electric drive train systems and battery technology. Our Proof of Concept vehicle, a fiberglass replica 1932 Ford coupe with a 120 HP electric drive train system, is now on the road and we have begun our testing and development effort. Our prototype production chassis build is also underway and we expect our first production prototype vehicle to be completed near the end of August 2002.

As you are aware, I am required to submit to the State of California Department of Motor Vehicles a certification of compliance or wavier from the NHTSA so that I may obtain my manufacturing occupational license. In as much as we are using "tried and true" subcomponents (i.e.: street rod frames, suspension and bodies) and adhering to the most stringent manufacturing practices we believe that our vehicles comply with all applicable federal safety standards. Please issue a certification of compliance as soon as possible.

If you require any additional information please contact me directly.

Best Regards,

Steven K. Northrop

President

Phoenix Motorcars, Inc.

## Phoenix Motorcars, Inc.

## Application Vehicle Identification Number

The following is the proposed VIN system for Phoenix Motorcars, Inc., including the decoding and future use characters. PMI plans on producing no more than 500 vehicles per year

Reference Title 49 Part 565-

Part 565.6(a) – First Section positions 1 – 3	Proposed Character	Decodes as
Character 1 – Nation of Origin	1	USA
Character 2 – Manufacturer Identifier	P	Phoenix
Character 3 – Manufacturer Identifier	M	Motorcars
Part 565.6(b) – Second section positions 4 – 8		
Character 4 – Platform Identifier	A	90Kw
- Option	В	120Kw
+ Future Use		
Character 5 – Battery Identifier	A	Lead Acid
- Option	В	Dual Lead Acid
- Option	C	NiMh
- Option	D	Dual NiMh
- Option	E	Lithium Ion
+ Future Use		
Character 6 – Body Identifier	1	Cabriolet
- Option	2	2 Door Sedan
- Option	3	3 Window Coupe
- Option	4	Phaeton
- Option	5	Fleet Side Truck
- Option	6	Steel Box Truck
- Option	7	1940 Truck
+ Future Use		
Character 7 – Auxiliary Drive Identifier	0	None
- Option	1	Power Steering Only
- Option	2	A/C Only
- Option	3	P/S and A/C
+ Future Use		

Character 8 – GVW Identifier - Option - Option + Future Use	1 2 3	Class B 3001 - 4000lbs Class C 4001 - 5000lbs Class D 5001 - 6000lbs			
Part 565.6(c) - Third section position 9					
Character 9 - Check Digit		Check Digit			
Part 565.6(d) – Fourth section positions 10 – 17					
Character 10 - Model Year Identifier	2	2002			
Character 11 - Plant of Manufacture Identifier + Future Use	A	Ojai, CA			
Character 12 – Controller Firmware Identifier + Future Use	A	Revision A			
Character 13 – Dash Display Identifier + Future Use	A	Revision A			
Character 14 - Trim Package Identifier - Option + Future Use	1 2	Standard Leather			
Character 15 – Sequential Number Identifier Character 16 – Sequential Number Identifier Character 17 – Sequential Number Identifier					

## Sample Vin and decoding:

## 1PMAA31132AAA1001

Character 1 - Nation of Origin - USA

Character 2 - Manufacturer ID - Phoenix

Character 3 - Manufacturer ID - Motorcars

Character 4 – Platform ID – 90Kw

Character 5 - Battery ID - Lead Acid

Character 6 - Body ID - 3 Window Coupe

Character 7 - Aux Drive ID - Power Steering Only

Character 8 - GVW ID - Class B 3001-4000 lbs

Character 9 - Check Digit

Character 10 - Model Year ID - 2002

Character 11 - Plant of Manufacture ID - Ojai, CA

Character 12 - Controller Firmware ID - Revision A

Character 13 – Dash Display ID – Revision A

Character 14 - Trim Package ID - Standard

Character 15 - Sequential Number ID - 0

Character 16 - Sequential Number ID - 0

Character 17 - Sequential Number ID - 1

Submitted July 15th, 2002

Steven K. Northrop

President

Phoenix Motorcars, Inc.